ELLIE MAE INC Form 4 January 26, 2015

### FORM 4

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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(City)

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HU LIMIN			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol ELLIE MAE INC [ELLI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
C/O ELLIE MAE, INC., 4155 HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 200			01/23/2015	_X_ Officer (give title Other (special below)  EVP, CTO		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
PLEASANTON, CA 94588		8	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (	Table Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	ecurit	ties Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	01/23/2015		Code V	Amount 13,333	or (D)	Price \$ 1.38	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 243,396	D	
Common Stock	01/23/2015		M	1,736	A	\$ 1.38	245,132	D	
Common Stock	01/23/2015		M	26,041	A	\$ 1.38	271,173	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. 5. Number of TransactionDerivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.38	01/23/2015		M	1,736	<u>(1)</u>	08/23/2017	Common Stock	1,736
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.38	01/23/2015		M	26,041	<u>(1)</u>	08/23/2017	Common Stock	26,041
Incentive Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 1.38	01/23/2015		M	13,333	<u>(1)</u>	04/23/2019	Common Stock	13,333

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HU LIMIN						
C/O ELLIE MAE, INC.			EVD CTO			
4155 HOPYARD ROAD, SUITE 200			EVP, CTO			
PLEASANTON, CA 94588						

# **Signatures**

/s/ Limin Hu	01/26/2015		
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date		

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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) 100% of the shares subject to the option are fully vested and exercisable.
- (2) The reported transaction is a grant of a derivative security, in which we have left column 8 blank, and have reported the exercise or conversion price of the derivative security in column 2.

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